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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Tim Burns to Engrossed House Bill No. 960 by Representative Johnson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 13:852" and before the comma "," insert "and 853"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "costs" and before "in" insert a comma "," and "to provide relative to court costs"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "Court;" and before "to" insert " to provide relative to court costs in the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court; to provide for additional court costs for criminal cases in the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, change "R.S. 13:852 is" to "R.S. 13:852 and 853 are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, after line 19, add the following:

"§853. Criminal matters; additional court costs; Twenty-Second Judicial District Court
A. In all misdemeanor offenses, of which the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court has jurisdiction, there shall be assessed as additional costs against every defendant who is convicted after trial or who pleads guilty or forfeits bond, the sum of fifty dollars. These costs shall be in addition to all other fines, costs, or forfeitures lawfully imposed.
B. The clerk of court shall place all sums collected or received pursuant to this Section into the Criminal Court Fund for the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court to defray the costs of the court."